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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Andreas MEUDT *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 1625

Application No.: 10/586,768

Examiner: J. Mabry

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For: PROCESS FOR PREPARING NITRILES
AND ISONITRILES BY DEHYDRATION
REACTIONS WITH PROPANEPHOSPHONIC ANHYDRIDES

AMENDMENT SUBMITTED UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Charlotte, North Carolina
September 5, 2008

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated August 26, 2008 associated with the Final Office Action dated May 21, 2008, please enter the following Amendment and accompanying Request for Continued Examination in the above-identified application. In addition, Applicants submit herewith (i) a Petition for 1-month Extension of Time with credit card information.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this paper.